

License Expiration Dates Have Changed to October 31 for all Architects, Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors

In the fall of 2011, the Division converted all active, inactive or retired Architects, Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors to a license expiration date of October 31.

Check the status of your license online [here](#). If you need to apply for reinstatement of your license, click "Professionals" and then "Choose Your Profession" from the Board's homepage at www.dora.colorado.gov/professions/aes.

Architects

Be sure to review the changes to the rule requirements for continuing education so that you will be in compliance in 2015 when your license renewal comes up. Click [here](#) to review the current Architect Continuing Education requirements.

Professional Engineers and Professional Land Surveyors

What do we hope to accomplish with this change to one license renewal?

- Having one expiration date for all Engineers and Land Surveyors eliminates renewal fee inequities. Currently, if you renew in June, you often may pay a different fee than if you renew in July, due to the change in our fees with the transition in fiscal years.
- Having one expiration date for all three professions associated with the AES Board (Architects, Engineers, and Land Surveyors) allows us to leverage communication channels through the Board's tools, industry association resources, and professionals talking to one another, to raise awareness of the renewal period. The anticipated outcome is fewer professionals practicing with an expired license and fewer disciplinary actions, both of which would be beneficial to consumers and to licensees.
- Having one expiration date for Engineers and Land Surveyors over the two-year license period increases our Division's efficiency by accomplishing the renewal process once instead of continually during that timeframe.

Everyone

Please keep your contact information current, ***especially your email address***, by visiting and bookmarking the Division homepage at www.dora.colorado.gov/professions and clicking the button on the right titled "Change Your Address."